CARPET

ROOM THIS WEEK

18c Mattings, 12½c;

25c Mattings, 20c; 40c

Mattings, 33\forall c. We have

just added to our stock 50

pieces of New Japanese cot-

ton chain Mattings on which

low prices will be made this

Large size all wool Cashmere Shawls, cheap at \$175,

Spring Shawls in fancy mix-

tures, worth \$1.25 and \$1.35,

PBetter qualities at proportionate

Shirt Waists will be con-

tinued for another week. We

would call attention to the fact

that in point of assortment,

prices and styles, our stock

dered goods.

is without an equal,

both in soft and laun-

SEE

Special prices on ladies'

This Week \$1.48.



617 AND 619 KANSAS AVENUE.

This Week 69c.

This Week 89c.

THIS WEEK \$1.25.

COMMON SENSE

Just in - Combination

Waists and Hose Sup-

porters for boys and

girls of all ages. The

most practical thing of the kind yet devised.

We invite mothers to see

One lot Infant's Fancy

Cloaks, value \$2.00.

26-in. Satine Sun Umbrelias, guaranteed fast black, natural wood handles, worth \$1.00, Five hundred yards of 26-in. Gloria Twill, fast black, with ornamental wood handles, worth fully \$1.25, fancy Dimities, white grounds and

26 in. Gloria Sitk with Paragon frame and natural handles, worth \$1.50 and \$1.65, colored figures. Very pretty patterns and good

value at 15c. THIS WEEK

CTS. YARD

One thousand yards of choice Outing Flannels, regular value 10c,

THIS WEEK

32-in Novelty Ginghams, fine sheer cloth in high art weaves. It is doubtful if as handsome goods were ever shown at 35c.

THIS WEEK.

This Week \$1.50. We have just received a lot of patent "readyto put

> on" Silk Umbrella Covers, which can be adjusted to the frames in a few minutes. The prices are such as to make it comparatively

THEM. cheaper than to repair umbrellas.

week.

Mail Orders Promptly Filled.



The buyer of the Boston Shoe Co., 511 Kansas Ave., with ready cash has scooped in \$15,000 worth of all kinds latest styles of fine footwear from the executors of the late Johnson Millard & Co., of Orange, Mass. The car loads of goods are now open and ready for inspection. Never before was there such a week with relatives. a chance for the rich or the poor to get good honest footwear at less than cost of Danielson went to Denver today, where

NOTICE FEW OF THE MANY BARGAINS.

Ladies' fine French Maduro Kid \$5.50 Shoe Ladies' fine Cloth Top latest styles Bals. and Button \$4 and \$5 Shoes, \$2.75. Ladies' fine Cloth hand welt and sewed \$4.00 Ladies' fine Cloth hand welt and sewed \$4.00 Shoe \$1.98. Ladies' fine Juliettes in different styles and

colors, \$3.50 at \$2.00. Ladies' fine Nullifiers in Russia and Black \$8

at \$1.75.
Ladies' fine hand turned \$3.50 Oxfords at \$1.50.
Ladies' fine hand sewed \$2.00 Oxfords in Russin and Black 28 cents.
Ladies' fine Dongola \$1.00 Oxfords 50 cents.
Endiess variety of Misses' and Children's Oxford Slippers and Shoes in all widths.
Men's fine Kangaroo \$6.00 Shoes in nine styles

\$2.95.

Men's fine Russet \$4 and \$5 Shoes \$2.75.

Men's hand sewed Russian Caif \$4 Shoes \$2.35.

Men's fine hand well Russian Goat \$2.50 Shoes

\$1.45. Men's warranted solld stock and not to rip \$2.50 Calf Shoes \$1.50, Men's warranted all soild heavy Calf \$2.00 Work Shoes 95 cents. Men's Tennis Shoes 50 cents.

REMEMBER!

This is no blow or bombard to catch your Shoe trade. Come and see this immense fine stock of Foot-Wear.

511 Kansas Ave.

Rock Island Route Excursions. To Wichita and return at one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale May 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th; good to return not later than May 18th.

To Hutchinson and return at one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale May 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th; good to return not 7th, 8th, 9th and 18th.

Inter than May 18th.

H. O. Garvey,

City Ticket ang Pass. Agent, 601 Kansas Ave., Topeka, Kans. The Great Rock Island Route. Lowest rates everywhere. Best track, fastest time, finest cars. Solid vestibuled trains, with through sleepers.

H. O. GARVEY, City Ticket and Passenger Agent, 601 Kansas avenue, l'opeka, Kan.

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NORTH TOPEKA.

Joe Kirk has come home from Baker

university, sick. J. C. Cromwell spent Sunday with his parents at Menoken.

Mrs. John Duncan, of Lawrence, is

visiting the family of Clarence Frisbie. Mr. and Mrs. John Kemp, of Elmont, have gone to visit their old home at Rochester, England

Mrs. H. H. Fowler and sister, Miss Anna Henry, have gone to Ottawa to spend David Rumin, brother of Mrs. Phillip

he will make his home. Rev. Dr. Bailey of Potwin preached an

interesting sermon to a large congrega-tion at the Presbyterian church yester-The decoration committee of Blue

Post and corps will meet at the residence of A. J. Kane, 1123 Quincy street, on Wednesday evening.

Spring house cleaning is in progress at the Kansas avenue M. E. church. Needed repairs are being made and a new carpet is being laid in the gallery.

M. L. Potter has returned from a visit in Dickinson county. He says he never saw so fine a prospect for a big crop and that the wheat is in especially fine condi-

When you need lumber give E. P. Ewart, the new dealer a call, 1012 Kan-

sas avenue, north. Monarch gasoline stoves at Henry's. Go to Henry's for rooting and spout-

Lukens Bros. are selling full leather top buggles and harness, for \$60.

top buggy with a \$10 harness for \$75 Take your prescriptions to A. J. Arnold & Son, 821 Kansas ave. Established 1870.

Leave orders for bakery goods at St.

Louis bakery, 1008 Kansas avenue. A complete line of homecepathic remedies at A. J. Arnold's & Son.

shoe store, 820 Kansas avenue.

30 in Serpentine Crepe at the New Era, 17c. Berlin Satines colors at the New Era,

Price Embroideries at the New Era Best Ladies Hose in the city for 10c.

New Era. *Our New Delight" and all Dangler stoves at H. M. Climes.

Thieves entered the stable of Fred Nemyer on Harrison street, Sunday morning and stole his horse. He made the discovery when he went to the barn to do his chores. Officer Summer was immediately notified and tracks were found indicating that the thieves had gone west. The two men procured a horse and buggy and started in pursuit. When about two miles this side of Silver Lake they sighted two men in a two horse buggy leading a horse. The men in front discovered their pursuers about the same time and turning the led horse market affords.

Having purchased F. W. Whittier's interest in the firm, we are prepared to give the people of Topeka the best the market affords.

WHITNEY & SON, Subscribe for the Daily STATEJOURNAL loose laid whip to their team and quickly

disappeared. On coming up to the loose horse Mr. Nemyer found it was his and Items of Interest from the North Side of concluded it would be useless to pursue the men any further. The King's Daughters.

A spectacular drama Monday and Tuesday evenings, May 7 and 8, at Lukens' opera house, North Topeka, for the benefit of the Church of the Good Shep-Cast of characters:

King Ahasuerus, Chas. Wood; Vashti, Miss Laura Biackwell; Esther, Byrd Watkins; Lord Chamberlains, Charles Berry, John Anderson, Carl Burgen, Ernest Carter, John Sheetz, Rob Anderson, Shirley Lewis; Isaac, Will Collissi; Rebekah, Gertrude Willett; Laban, John Sheetz; Rachel, Nell Wetherholt; Jacob, Sheetz; Rachel, Nell Wetherholt; Jacob, Will Clime; Leah, Anna Payne; Jepthath's daughter, Maggie Collissi; Naomi, Mrs. J. M. Butterly; Orpah, Maud Brazier; Ruth, Stella Wallace; Boas, Frank Alderson; Miriam, Mrs. Geo. Consider Rock of Ages Mand Brazier; Currier: Rock of Ages, Maud Brazier; Suppliant, Mirta Carter.

Miriam's Maidens-Minnie Ruby, Jennie Finch, Kate Collissi, Jennie Burgen, Stella Smith, Ludelle McMaster, Lina

Wednesday evening.

The new clothing store promised in this column last week, will be opened this week at 813 Kansas avenue, with a Petro, Grace Porter, Libbie Burnish, Mirta Carter, Anna Campbell, Viola Colbura, Mrs. Will Bargess, Samms, Ina Colburn, Mrs. Will Bargess, Clara Marlelt

King's Daughters-Nellie Raub, Mirta Carter, Neilie Butterly, Byrd Watkins, Edna Burgen, Gussie Pliley, Neilie Kimball, Mary Watkins, Daisy Kimball, Bertha Rowley, Kate Watkins, Laura Houghtellin, Dora Bischoff, Nora Bischoff. Admission, 25 cents; children,

DEATH OF MRS. H. H. MILLS

Sad and Unexpected Ending of a Short lilness. Mrs. Isabella M. Mills, wife of H. H.

Mills, the veteran dry goods merchant, died very suddenly at her home 1115 Polk street, at 8:30 last evening, after an I. H. Foucht will sell you a full leather illness of only two days. She was taken seriously ill on Friday afternoon at Mrs. H. K. Rowley's thimble party. Her illness took the form of peritonitis

and she sank very rapidly. Her death was a great shock to the family, as she was apparently in good health until she A complete line of homecepathic remedies at A. J. Arnold's & Son.

Get your tennis shoes at the Blue Front hoe store, 820 Kansas avenue.

was taken with this last illness. Mrs. Mills was born in Inverness, Scotland, March 29, 1832. For several years she lived in Howell, Mich. She came to Topeka in March, 1884.

She was a lady held in high regard and was a member of the First Presbyterian church. She was prominent in all missionary work of the church.

She leaves a husband, Mr. H. H. Mills, and three children—W. W. Mills, Arthur Mills, and Miss Hattie Mills, to mourn her W. W. Mills had intended starting west on a trip for his health last Thursday, but was prevented by friends com-ing to visit. It seems as though he had been kept here providentially.

The funeral services will take place tomorrow at 1 o'clock at the residence. Rev. J. W. Baily will conduct the services. The remains will be taken to Howell, Mich., Mrs. Mills' old home, for burial.

730 Kansas ave.

MANY OF "MINE HOST."

Hundreds of Hotel Men in Palace

PASS THROUGH THIS CITY TODAY

On Their Way to the Hotel Men's Big Convention at Denver-Other Railroad News.

There was an invigorating scene of genteel hilarity at the Santa Fe depot at 11 o'clock today, when the Chicago section of the hotel men's special train stopped twenty minutes for ice and water on its way to the national convention at Denver. Topeka has seldom seen a hap-pier crowd of wealthy easterners than these. A hotel man knows if anyone does what is good to eat and drink and these had on board the best that could be found. None but owners of hotel property are along. The majority of the men are well along in years but they never felt younger than they did today. There are three of the trains. The New York crowd came through at two o'clock and the Bostonians later. The first section consisted of four sleapers as baggang car. sisted of four sleepers, a baggage car and a dining car and carried 102 persons. The aggregate number of excursionists on all three trains reached 260 and will reach 800 before the trains get to Colorado tomorrow morning. No great speed has been attained but the time made will exceed thirty-five miles an

The excursion is in charge of Assistant General Passenger Agent Black of Topeka, and Ed. Burnett, the Santa Fe passenger agent at New York City, both of whom will accompany the trains to Sherwood Falls, Colorado. The convention at Denver will occupy the hotel men's time the rest of this week, after which they expect to visit points of in-terest in Colorado for a short time before

GENERAL RAILROAD NOTES. News About Rates, Personal and Other

General Passenger Agent T. J. Anderson of the Rock Island left for Hutchinson today to attend the state conclave of Knights Templar.

Tomorrow is homeseekers' excursion rate day on the Rock Island. The next will be the 29th,

The open gospel meeting at the rail road Y. M. C. A. rooms yesterday afternoon was largely attended and heartily enjoyed.
Mrs. J E. Dubreuil of the Rock Island

is visiting her sister at Mount Castle, Colorado. S. Mallison of Kansas City, superintendent of construction, and Wm. Carmichael of Junction City, of the same department, are in the city today figuring around the Union Pacific depot with a view to changing the hotel office to the east side of the east waiting room and by removing a partition enlarge the

The committee of managers of the railroad Y. M. C. A. will hold its regular monthly meeting at their rooms at five o'clock this afternoon.

On Saturday the bath department of the railroad Y. M. C. A. gave baths to 125 of its members. At some time during warm weather the number of baths farnished by this institution have reached

A new base ball club has been formed astic. at the Santa Fe shops, and will be known as the "Capital City's." W. A. Scribner is manager, and will arrange a game with any amateur club in or out of the Y. M. C. A. rooms. The battery of the and the other members are McGaffin, Heck, Cummings, Smith, Bailey, With-

row and Ely. The Rock Island has issued a circular announcing that it will meet the Santa Fe's \$15 for the round trip rate to Denver for the annual meetings of the American Institute of Homosopaths, June 14 to 22d, of the National Republican League June 26, of the Imperial Council of Mystic Shriners, June 24 to 27, and of the League of American Wheelmen, 13 to 18. This rate is good from all Missouri river or intermediate points.

AT THE DESKS.

Among the Various Railroad Offices of Topeka.

General Freight Agent F. C. Gay returned from Chicago this morning. Assistant Freight Agent A. P. Tanner is ex-

A. A. Hurd, general solicitor for Kansas, and family and Robert Dunlay, arrived in Topeka Saturday night from a three week's stay in California.

J. J. Slavin the Santa Fe's general passenger agent at Denver, and Charley Cox, the ticket agent at Pueblo, are in Topeka today. Arthur Van Vleit of the Santa Fe of-

fice at Kansas City, has been compelled to come home on a leave of absence. He is suffering with the mumps.

C. C. Hall of Albuquerque, who is a

brother-in-law of General Manager J. J. Frey, is in Topeka today. Superintendent Wm. Hobbs of the Rock Island's southwest division, is in the city today, and Superintendent Law-rence of Horton, came down today. Assistant General Manager W. I. Allen of Chicago, also arrived in his special car accompanied by General Superintendent A. J. Hitt, left for Denver and Pueblo on a tour of inspection. Superintendents

Hobbs and Lawrence will accompany

them as far as Phillipsburg, Kansas

SPIKES AND SPARKS. Personal Notes Among the Railroad Shops at Topeka.

Mark Riardon of the Santa Fe car shops, has blossomed out with a white Charley Galley has quit work at the

Santa Fe paint shops and will work on an orange farm near Los Angeles, Cali-The Santa Fe round house is about the coolest place in the city.

The Santa Fe men who were at Emporia last week attending court have returned. The dance given at Vinewood park Saturday night by the Santa Fe young men was a pleasant one and attended by

Mr. Devlin will probably remain about ten days, but this will be governed largeabout fifty couples. It was under the management of Jerry Dustin and Charley Batman.

Jim Cummings and Charley Bigler of ly by developments.

the Santa Fe shops, will entertain a few of their friends royally with a party at 419 Madison street Tuesday evening. Lemon Bros'. circus of fifteen cars went through by special train on the SPRING AND SUMMER

Two floors packed with Medium and Fine

Shoes and Slippers.



Prices never so low as now.

Reliable Goods within the reach of everybody.

See the prices

"DIRT DEFIES THE KING." THEN

IS GREATER THAN ROYALTY ITSELF



Santa Fe Sunday morning at 5 o'clock

Santa Fe visited the Argentine shops

Some of the Clippers played with the opposition. Nearly 1,500 people witnessed the game and were very enthusi-

The ball game Saturday afternoon be-

tween the employes of the Santa Fe

freight department and those of the sta-

tion department on Western avenue was

a very interesting one of six innings.

The score stood Freighters, 7; Sta-

ALL ALONG THE LINES.

Railroad News Items Interesting to Rail-roaders and the Public.

E. L. Palmer, passenger agent of the

Santa Fe at Omaha visited the general

In view of the approach of Indepen-dence Day, the Western Passenger asso-

ciation has authorized rates of one and

one-third fare from all points in the ter-

ritory of the eastern committee of the

association. The rates cover points not

ment has given notice that it will meet

the rate on wire, nails and iron roofing

from St. Louis common points to Colorado

common points made by the 'Frisco rail-

way Thursday, and it will also meet the

rate of 40 cents a hundred-weight made

by the Santa Fe railway on packing house

products and fresh meats from Kansas

City common points and Wichita to Colorado and Utah common points.

The case of Sarah Wilkins vs. the

Santa Fe is being tried at Atchison again

today. This case has been in the courts

for some time and resulted from the kill-

ing of Mrs. Wilkin's husband several

A Central Branch engine ran over a

dog at Corning the other day and a

chunk of the dog flew up and struck the engineer in the head almost knocking

J. Q. Shoup, an old Santa Fe employe

and for many years local agent of the

yesterday. On next Tuesday, May 8th, the Santa

Fe will make a homeseeker's excursion

rate of one fare for the round trip from

all points on its lines at and east of the

Missouri to all points in Kansas, Okla-

homa, Texas, New Mexico, Colorado and

Utah. These tickets are on sale for one

day only and have a return trip limit of

thirty days. This is the first of two home-

seeker's rate days this spring. The other

MR. DEVLIN COMING HERE.

He Needs a Rest From His Struggles

With Strikers.

coal interests, is expected to arrive home

tomorrow from Toluca, Ill., where he has

been for nearly two weeks representing

the operators at the coal miners' strike. While the strike is not settled satisfac-

torily, Mr. Devlin thinks he has pro-

gressed far enough in that direction to allow him to come home and take a much

needed rest and do some office work.

D. Holmes, druggist, 731 Kansas ave,

C. J. Devlin, manager of the Santa Fe's

over 200 miles apart.
The Missouri Pacific freight depart-

offices yesterday afternoon.

Master Mechanic G. L. Smith of the

bound for Manhattan.

south of the city.

tioners, 4.

years ago.

him out of the cub.

will be May 29th.

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Furniture, Carpets, Stoves, Queens, ware on Easy Payments. Phone 52

G. H. HUGHES, 816% N. Kas. Ave. Banjo Specialist.

Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Hess of Ottawa is here visiting John Joerdan, of the Santa Fe ma-chine shops, and wife at 412 Madison. No. 835 NORTH TOP KA No. 835 Conductor John Woodward of the

Instruction. Banjos, music and strings for sale.

Santa Fe, who recently moved to Argentine, was in the city Sunday visiting Santa Fe Switchman W. R. Johnson laid off Sunday and visited his stock farm The base ball game at Vinewood park yesterday afternoon between the "Santa Fes" and the "Clippers" resulted in a victory for the former after a hotly contested game. The score stood six to three. Ash and Kitchen were the battery for the Clippers while Thompson and Heck handled the ball for the Santa Fes. Some of the Clippers played with the



You can save money by buying of C. W. Willits. 10 to 15 per cent saved on Cloth Goods. 1006 Kansas ave., N. Topeka.

WEBB M'NALL OUT.

He Has Retired From the Race for Lieu-

tenant Governor. It is now announced that Webb McNall is no longer a candidate for the Republi-can nomination of lieutenant governor. At the Smith county convention on Saturday McNall gave up all hopes of being nominated and said he would consider himself out of the race. He then made the announcement that he would do what he could to secure the nomina tion of secretary of state for Capt. J. H. McDowell of Smith Center, and the Smith county delegation will be for Mc-

Dowell in the state convention.



The Young Doctor-Just think! Six of my patient: recovered this week. The Old Doctor-It's your own fault, my You spend too much time at the cin

Latter Day Etiquette,

Mrs. de Science-Hereufter when visitors call you are not to take their cards. You must ask them their names. My husband has discovered 900 different kinds of bacte ria on visiting cards. Servant-Yes, ma'am.

land department at Cimarron, died at that place Friday and was buried there Mrs, de Science-And when they mention their names you are particularly to notice if their voices are hourse. Colds are catching.-New York Weekly.

> Genuine Nerve. Tailor-When are you going to pay for that overcost?

Dude-Realty, my-Tailor-Now, look here, if you don't pay I'll bring suit within 80 days. Dude-Make it a spring suit, old man and you can bring it right away. - Detroit Free Press.

The Pathologic School,

Mrs. Gramercy-Do you exercise any snpervision over your daughter's reading? Mrs. Park-Certainly, my dear. It's quite necessary at the present day. I never let her read a book written by a woman until I've looked it over carefully,-Puck.

Pertinent.

He (at 11:55)-I never wear a necktie two days in succession. She (glancing at the clock)-Did you bring another one with you?-New York

What makes a house a home? The force it with De Witt's Sarsaparllla. It mother well, the children rosy, the father in good health and good humor. All brought about by the use of De Witt's Sarsaparilla. It recommends itself. J. K. Jones.

112 and 114 West 8th, Peerless, pteaus